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### ABOUT THE CHURCHES.

Interesting News Concerning the Different Denominations.

This Column Closes Promptly at 9 a. m. Each Wednesday.

Rev. Dr. E. McNair has been with friends in Keokuk and Elvaston, Ill.

Rev. Fr. C. Martin of Shelbyna, was with friends in this city Saturday.

Rev. Fr. John Ryan visited Rev. Fr. D. F. Sullivan in Hannibal Monday.

Rev. Fr. P. F. Cooney has recovered from his sick spell and was with his Monroe friends Tuesday.

Rev. I. T. Nash of Palmyra, and Rev. J. O. Whitworth of Hunnewell, were with Monroe friends, Monday.

Rev. W. S. Rooker and daughters, Misses Mary and Helen of Palmyra, have been with Monroe friends.

Tonight is Methodist night at the Gem Theatre. Go, take your friend and enjoy the evening. Next Thursday evening will be for the Presbyterians.

Fr. Thomas Cusack of Morris, Ill., has been the guest of his mother at Indian Creek where he was reared and is deservedly popular.

Rev. W. W. Laughlin will conduct the union services at the park Sunday 7 p. m. Every one ought to attend the park services during the summer.

Rev. James Hornback of Perry, thinks his people want a new church so came over to see his Monroe brethren to find out how badly they wanted Perry to have a new meeting house.

The share of the Gem Theatre money that fell to the ladies of the Episcopal church last Thursday night was \$7.40. Tonight will be Methodist night so be sure and meet them at the Gem Theatre.

#### ST. JUDES'

Rev. H. C. Goodman, Rector.

Sunday next 6th after Trinity, services 7 a. m., 11 a. m., 5 p. m. Wednesdays 8 a. m.

Fridays 7:30 p. m.

Sermon on Sunday morning will be on "Patriotism." Please note change of hour for Sunday evening service.

#### FIRST BAPTIST

Rev. B. D. Weeks will return Saturday night from his tour of the west and will preach Sunday morning.

From Sunday evening and on during the heated term there will be union services in the North park.

#### PRESBYTERIAN

Regular services next Sunday at 11 a. m. by the pastor. The public is cordially invited to come and worship with us. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.

#### GRACE BAPTIST

Preaching at 11 o'clock a. m. No preaching at the evening hour. Park services at 7 o'clock p. m. Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Prayer meeting 8 o'clock Wednesday p. m. B. Y. P. U. meeting 8 o'clock Sunday p. m.

#### METHODIST

Preaching 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Junior League 2:30 p. m. Senior League 7:00 p. m. Public cordially invited.

### NEW OFFICE.

Today we begin to move to our new, convenient and commodious quarters, over the Yowell Saddlery Co's. room.

It has been especially altered for us and makes one of the best newspaper homes in Northeast Missouri.

And as we have the plant Will also try to have the BEST COUNTRY NEWSPAPER in our territory.

This "invite" is for you. If you owe us call and see us in our new quarters. If you don't owe us call and see us any way for we want to see you and want you to see us where we work hard to get together for you more FARM NEWS, more CHURCH NEWS and more PERSONAL and LOCAL NEWS than any other newspaper in this section of the country.

When we say NEWS we don't mean local stuff from ten to ninety days old or local stuff gathered by some one else and published in some other paper.

### ITEMS FROM FARMERS

Of Farmers, For Farmers and Pertaining to Farmers.

When you figure on a sale and want Col W T Youell to cry it, call Elbert Yates at the F & M Bank. He can give you the Colonels dates.

Buckman Bros have sold a fancy draft horse to the Reidle Brewing Co, of Hannibal for \$250.

H A Ford has bought 2 heifers from M Wilson and 2 steers from H Sitchy and 5 hogs from Dick Collier.

Ben McElroy has sold a car load of yearling cattle that averaged 960 lbs at 7c.

J H McClintic has received from W L Cranston, East St. Louis a car load of nice yearling feeders.

Thos J Yates has shipped 3 cars of hogs.

Fessenden & Masterson have shipped 3 car of hogs and 1 of cattle.

Rufe Christian sold a car load of nice cattle to Milt Phillips. Mr Phillips shipped them.

Fred Hawkins has marketed his 36 hogs, Eb Lamont his 50 head, O Zeiger his 12 and A S Calvert 7 head.

Jno L Owen sent 12 head of beeves to the Hannibal, Monday and has bought of Will Lehnbauer 2, Richard Fitzpatrick 1, Walter Hagan 2, T J Yates 2 and John Bixler 1.

Rogers & Thompson have shipped 7 1-2 cars of wool.

B K Shaw has sold a colt to E L Lamont for \$100.

Joseph and Sam Sandifer brought in 21 head of fat hogs Monday and sold for 9c.

J D Brandmeyer has what was once common in this vicinity, but is now a curiosity. It is nothing more or less than a "clay bank" colt. Its sire is a bay and its dam a brown, with no known light stock on either side. Mr Brandmeyer has bought a draft mare and colt from S A Miller paying \$300.

Price Young has marketed his 18 head of hogs at 9c.

A C Goodnight has sold his 6 hogs at 9c.

W W Handley has shipped 84 head of fat hogs.

Theo Arnoldy received 9c per pound for his 9 hogs.

#### Wanted.

Position of farm hand with a good family. Am moral and have lived in Missouri. Joseph Way, 7-7 McLough, Kan.

J B Headrick has drilled well for Steve Owen. He had to go the short distance of 52 feet to get water.

#### Market Report.

For Wednesday before date of paper.

Cattle.....	\$4.00-6.50
Hogs.....	8.00-8.75
Sheep.....	3.50-4.50
Lambs.....	5.00-6.50

#### Poultry.

Hens.....	11c
Spring chickens pound and quarter and over 1 1-2.....	16c
Old Roosters.....	06c
Ducks.....	08c
Turkey Hens.....	10c
Young Toms.....	10c
Toms.....	10c
Guineas, each.....	17c
Geese.....	05c
Eggs.....	14c
Tallow.....	04c
Butter.....	18c
Green Hides.....	07c
New Corn.....	62c
Wheat No. 2.....	85c
Oats.....	43c
Hay.....	\$12.00
Baled Hay.....	\$14.00

Shipments for week ending noon yesterday good. Rogers & Thompson 7 1-2 cars of wool; Milton Phillips 1 car cattle; T J Yates 3 cars of hogs; Fessenden & Masterson 1 car cattle and 3 cars of hogs; W W Handley 1 car of hogs; Barger & McClintic 3 cars of lambs; Henderson-Morris Poultry Co 1 car poultry, 1 car eggs. Total 21 cars.

#### Three Girls.

The Stork has been to the home of Roy Roland and left a pretty girl. And he took a flight to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Young's and left a lovely little girl for them to care for.

Then went to A. L. Martin's and left with them a sweet little girl.

#### New Things.

The tiling in the lobby of the Monroe City Bank is being laid.

J. A. Woolf has re-roofed his barn.

Charlie Sharp has built a nice barn.

J. D. Erwin has re-roofed his home.

H. J. Garrett has added one room to his home and re-roofed it.

J. B. Floyd has added one room to his home.

Dr. Thomas Proctor is going to put a fancy plate glass front in the business room occupied by Bert Bull and also he will fix up the second story, above the post office for office rooms.

Billy Patterson is re-roofing and repairing the old Hanley Hotel.

Arch Spalding is re-roofing his old home.

The city has put in a cement culvert 20x8 feet and two cement street crossings.

L. Flannigan has built a good granary.

Dr. J. B. Corley has added a porch to his home and painted it.

Mrs. S. E. Boarman has had 200 feet of cement walk put in.

B. Gentges has put a 24 inch exhaust fan in the laundry and that keeps the air dry and pure.

#### Catfish Six Feet Long.

Valley, Neb., June 25.—Presumably the largest fish ever caught in inland waters was landed here by Willis Orris and John Wixon, farmers. It was a black catfish and was almost six feet long.

The Platte river was unusually high this spring, having flooded the lowlands and bottoms. Now it is rapidly receding. The other day Orris and his hired man, Wixon were out in a pasture, repairing fences. In a swale over which the river had swept, and which was filled with water to a depth of a couple of feet they noticed a great disturbance. Going out there they discovered the monstrous fish. Pitchforks were secured and then the chase commenced. The swale was about 100 feet wide and 300 long and back and forth the fish flew, lashing the water into foam.

The fish, finally tired out, was driven into shallow water and speared to death. It is presumed that it came up out of the Missouri river, as a fifty-pounder is the largest fish that has heretofore been caught out of the Platte.

#### Clarence McNutt Dead.

After an illness of several days Clarence McNutt died Tuesday at the home of his father, Dr. W. B. A. McNutt. Clarence was one of the best young men ever reared in Monroe City and it seems strange that the All Wise Ruler should call him away in his early manhood.

Funeral services will be conducted from the Christian Church at 10 o'clock this morning. An extended notice will be published next week.

#### Bake Sale.

The ladies of the Presbyterian Church will have a Bake Sale in the Walker building one door west of the Monroe City Bank next Saturday commencing at 1 o'clock. Get something good for your Sunday dinner.

Get one of those Lawn Swings at A. JAEGER'S.